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**OVER 300** 

VARIETIES

OF

**CAMELLIAS** 

TO

SELECT

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## CAMELLIAS, THE JEWELS OF THE GARDEN,

# Portland Camellia Nursery

P. L. VAN DER BOM, Proprietor

### Season 1950 and 1951

3307 N. WILLIAMS AVENUE PORTLAND 12, OREGON

Dear Customer:

We offer this catalog in the hopes that it will help you in selecting plants for your gardens and landscapes. We specialize in Camellias and have over 300 varieties to select from. We have one of the finest selections of Rhododendrons available, including the newest varieties. We also have lovely specimen plants of Azaleas.

We have some of the newest ideas out for the use of Camellias. "Espalier Camellias" in all different shapes, sizes and forms. Then we have "Tree Form" and "Umbrella Form" grafted Camellias. We have grafted Camellias with different varieties on one plant. We are proud to say that we also have the World's Wonder Camellia" which has over 100 Fall Sasanqua and Japonica varieties grafted on it. This plant starts to bloom in October and blooms until the end of May. This is truly a sight to see.

We have a fine selection of evergreen shrubs listed in our catalog this year. The prices are very reasonable. Also you will find special sale prices listed on many articles.

Due to the high cost of living and shipping rates we have cut our prices on Camellias, Rhododendrons and Azaleas 10% to 20% from our 1948 and Spring of 1949 prices. THIS CUT SHOULD PAY SHIPPING COSTS TO OUR CUSTOMERS.

We send our catalog to prospective customers all over the U.S.A. Many of these flower lovers are unable to visit our Nursery and wish to have their plants shipped to them. We wish to assure these customers that no plant leaves our Nursery that we would not wish to receive ourselves. We guarantee our stock to be true to name, healthy and of the size specified. We may give an oversize plant but never undersize. All plants are balled and burlaped and the ball is wrapped in waterproof paper to insure moisture. Every precaution is taken in packing. No extra charge for packing unless notified. We are not responsible for breakage in transit. Claims should be settled with your carrier immediately. Cost of transportation for all shipments is paid by purchaser. We are unable to give Parcel Post rates as they change so often. All orders are shipped as promptly as possible. During the peak season an order may take a little longer but we try to get them shipped within two weeks after receipt of your order. Customer will be notified by Nursery the date shipment is made.

Please order plants by their name, size, and price. Allow plenty of time for shipping. We accept money orders or check. C.O.D. orders must pay at least 25% of total value before order is shipped. We do not ship on open accounts.

Please state if we may substitute an equally good variety or a larger or smaller size if we are sold out on the size or variety you wish.

We can safely ship plants to points all over the U.S.A. from the 15th of October to the end of May. As our flowering shrubs bloom later than the Southern states you can still order during the months of February, March and April and still get budded plants of some varieties.

Sincerely yours, P. L. VAN DER BOM (Prop.)

Welcome to All Visitors Open 9 A.M. to 7 P.M. Including Sundays Tel.: TUxedo 2883

## MAKE EVERLASTING GIFTS FOR ANY OCCASION

The most beautiful of all the broadleaved evergreen blooming plants. Long-lived and more beautiful and valuable with age. Selected varieties offer a long season of bloom. In our climate in Portland they bloom from January to May. In mild winters they start in October.

The Camellia's popularity is growing every year. Many new introductions have been introduced to the flower world the last few years to keep the collectors of this lovely shrub interested and busy.

Even amateur gardeners can grow Camellias as they are not difficult to grow. Follow our planting guide for best results.

Camellias are less subject to disease and insects than most shrubs. If scale or aphids attack the leaves this can be easily remedied by spraying tops of leaves and under leaves with **Volck**, using 1 part Volck to 50 parts water. Always keep weevil bait in your garden as the weevil is an enemy to almost all flowers and shrubs.

Plant Camellias in your yard and enjoy the beauty of the most beautiful evergreen shrub. Cut blooms from your own bushes for lovely, long lasting corsages and also for glamorous table decorations.

Camellias used for hedges are beautiful as well as practical. They save you time and money due to the very small amount of pruning needed to keep them in shape. The habit of their growth determines the best variety to use. There are varieties suitable for the tall narrow hedge, for the wide short hedge, etc. We will be happy to help you make selections for best results.

Visit Our Nursery from December to the End of May to See Camellias in Bloom

# Special Camellias

\*\*\*MRS. DOROTHY VAN DER BOM—Our own seedling. Light red single 4 to 5 inch bloom. Frilled edges, predominant yellow stamens of bright yellow in a round circle. Stamens are very short. Beautiful dark green foliage. Has one of the largest leaves of any variety. Very fast grower. Blooms February to April.

 8 to 12 inch
 \$ 6.00

 12 to 15 inch
 \$ 7.50

 15 to 18 inch
 \$ 9.00

 18 to 24 inch
 \$ \$12.00

\*\*\*RETICULATA—Pink carmine, semi-double with short bunch of golden stamens. Size of bloom is 6 to 8 inches across. Finest of all Camellias. The color is so different and beautiful everyone is spellbound when they see it. The foliage is thick and light green. The bark of tree is almost white or a pale tan. Grafts—understock with 3 year roots.

KINGYO-TSUBAKI—Very rare. Fish-tail leaved. Semi-double rose red with yellow stamens. This variety is outstanding for its foliage. Leaves all resemble a fan-tailed gold fish. M. 8 to 12" \$5.00.

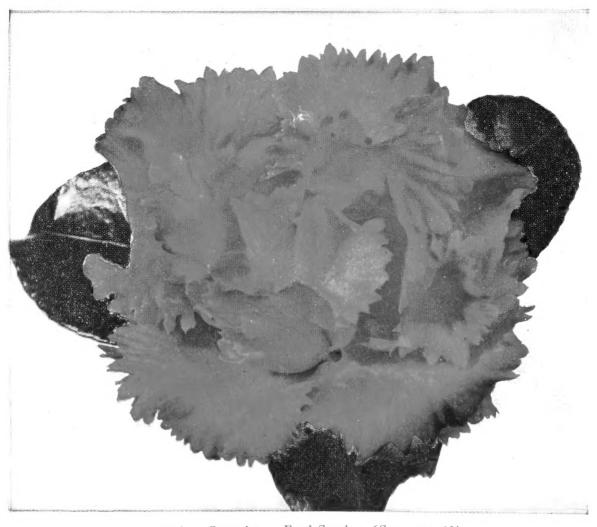
JENNIE JONES—Semi-double white, yellow stamens. Deep green foliage. 8 to 12" \$5.00.

MADAME INGRAD—Our own seedling, semi-double white, yellow stamens in center. Because of its weeping habit would be lovely in rock garden or beside a pool, M. 10-12" \$5.00.

**BERNICE BODDY** — Semi-double pale pink. Outside petals fade to almost white. 8 to 12" \$5.00.



Kumasaka (See page 9)



Fimbriata Superba or Fred Sanders (See page 13)

#### ESPALIER TRAINED CAMELLIAS

We grow these especially for locations where a wide, bushy growing shrub would be in the way or take up too much room, such as between the house and a walk that has only 2 feet of planting space. Also for around patios, garages, etc. We grow them in all shapes, sizes, forms and varieties. We do not have a large stock of these plants as one Camellia out of 100 is shaped right for this purpose.

\$15.00 and \$25.00

#### TREE FORM CAMELLIAS

GRAFTED HIGH UP ON THE STEM so that branches hang down like a weeping cherry tree. This gives the appearance of an umbrella. These are fine to use as entrance pieces planted in tubs, urns or in the ground. Limited stock.

\$15.00 and \$25.00

#### WORLD'S WONDER CAMELLIA

One six-foot Camellia grafted with over 100 varieties on one plant which blooms three seasons of the year, fall, winter and spring. This bush starts to bloom in October and blooms until the end of May. Truly a sight to see when in bloom.

PRICE: \$1,000.00

# Camellia Specials

(See Camellia Descriptions on Pages 6 to 14)

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GROUP 2—8 to 12 inch size         Blood of China       \$1.75         Waukanoura White       1.75         Otome Pink       1.75         Christine Lee       1.75         Total       \$7.00         Less       2.00	GROUP 4—12 to 15 inch size         Purity       \$1.75         Kumasaka       2.50         Blood of China       2.25         Total       \$6.50         Less       1.50         \$5.00
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GROUP 3—8 to 12 inch size         Chandleri Elegance       \$ 2.00         Debutante       2.00         Emperor of Russia       2.00         Finlandia       2.00         Monjishu       2.00         Kumasaka       2.00	GROUP 5—18 to 24 inch size         Purity       \$ 3.50         Blood of China       4.00         Finlandia Variegated       5.00         Valtavereda       4.00         Cheerful       3.50
Total       \$14.00         Less       2.50	Value       \$20.00         Total       \$20.00         Less       5.00
\$11.50	\$15.00

# Multiple Grafted Camellias

#### with 3 or more varieties grafted on 1 plant

 3 varieties on 1 plant.....
 \$12.00
 5 varieties on 1 plant.....
 \$17.50

 4 varieties on 1 plant....
 6 varieties on 1 plant.....
 \$20.00

7 varieties on 1 plant......\$25.00

(Limited Stock)

The following varieties of Camellias were especially selected for these multiple grafts because they bloom in the fall, winter and spring.

#### LIST OF VARIETIES

Goshoguruma Vittorio Emanuel Ville de Nantes Daitarine Daikagura Mrs. Dorothy Van der Bom Finlandia White

PLEASE NOTE: We are unable to furnish multiple-graft Camellias except in combinations of our own selection.

# Camellias as House Plants

Camellias will thrive and flourish if a cool room which is well lighted by windows can be provided for them, such as a glass enclosed porch, sun porch, or the like. Temperatures should not exceed 55 degrees F or fall below 35 degrees F during the winter months. To maintain a high humidity in the room keep jars of water around. Soil, one part good garden soil to one part peat moss. Fertilizer, 1 tablespoon Vigoro to 1 quart water. Use application in December, a second in February when new growth is beginning and another in April for new growth and bud development. Water: keep moist at all times. Foliage and buds should be sprayed with water at least 4 or 5 times a week, except when in flower. During the summer months plants are placed outdoors in semi-shaded areas. Bury pots in ground so the roots do not dry out. The proper time to repot Camellias, should it become necessary, is immediately after flowering. Always allow a good drainage with sand in the bottom of the pot. Grown in this manner Camellias are lovely house plants. Azaleas and Rhododendrons can also be grown in this same way.

Below is a list of the 10 best varieties of Camellias to grow in pots. This list is, of course, for the beginner who has never tried raising Camellias in this manner.

For descriptions of varieties see pages 6 to 14.

MONJISU GRANDIFLORA ROSEA MATHOTIANA ALBA DAYBREAK

KUMASAKA

PINK PERFECTION

JULIA DRAYTON

DAIKAGURA

CHANDLERI ELEGANS

MIKENJAKU

## Camellias

THE FOLLOWING CAMELLIA PRICES ARE CLASSIFIED IN A \* B \* C \* D \* ACCORDING TO VARIETY, A\* BEING THE COMMONEST ONE AND D \* THE RARE, CHOICE VARIETY

- E—Means early bloomer, February and March.
- M-Means medium bloomer, March and April.
- L-Means late bloomer, April and May.

NOTE: At the end of each description you will find a list of sizes available in the variety described; for example: BELLA RAMONA...(1, 2). This means we have 8 to 12 inch plants and 12 to 15 plants of this variety. Where no sizes are given all sizes are available.

#### CLASS A

Si	ze	1— 8	to	12	inch <b>\$1.25</b>
Si	ze	2 - 12	$\operatorname{ct}$	15	inch <b>\$1.75</b>
$\operatorname{Si}$	ze	3—15	to	18	inch <b>\$2.50</b>
Si	ze	418	to	24	inch\$3.50
Si	ze	5-24	to	30	inch
Si	ze	630	to	36	inch\$7.00

15% off on 10 plants or over . . . 20% off on 25 plants or over.

We have 3 to 4 ft., 4 to 5 ft. and 5 to 6 ft. Camellias in some varieties, a list of which will gladly be sent upon request.

- ALBA SUPERBA or JOHN G. DRAYTON
  —Semi-double white, yellow stamens.
  M.
- **BELLA ROMANA** Double pink, variegated stripes. Hardy, E. (1, 2)
- BRILLIANT—Full double, red. M. (4)
- CHEERFUL Double red, small bloom, profuse bloomer. E.
- **DUC DE ORLEANS**—Peony formed center, white with red stripes. M. (5, 6)
- EMPRESS OF INDIA Double rose, heavy bloomer, bushy. M. (1, 2, 4, 5, 6)
- GLOIRE DE NANTES or LATIFOLIA— Semi-double red, cup shape. Yellow stamens mixed with petals. M. (1, 2, 6)
- KI KU TOGI Early flowering double red. E. (1, 2, 5)
- MRS. WM. THOMPSON Large semi-double blush fading to white, yellow stamens. M. (4, 5, 6)
- MARASCHINO—Red double, cup shape. M. (5)
- MONTA ROSA—Double rose. M. (6)

- NOBLISSIMA Pure white semi-peony type. Long bloomer. E.
- PINK PERFECTION—Small double pink, very delicate color. M. (1, 2, 3, 4)
- **PURITY** Double white, Looks like a gardenia. M. (1, 2, 3, 4)
- **SNOWDRIFT**—Semi-double snow white with yellow stamens. M.
- **STARWHEEL** Double red with white stripe on each petal. M. (5, 6)
- **THOMPSONI** Flat double red. Looks like a rose. M. (5, 6)
- TRICOLOR SIEBOLDI or PEPPERMINT STICK Single white with pink stripes, yellow stamens. M. (1, 2, 3, 5, 6)
- WAUKANOURA RED or ROBINHOOD or TRICOLOR—Bright red semi-double, long yellow stamens. M.
- **WAUKANOURA ROSEA** Pale pink, semi-double, yellow stamens. Weeping habit. Good for pools. M. (2, 3, 4)

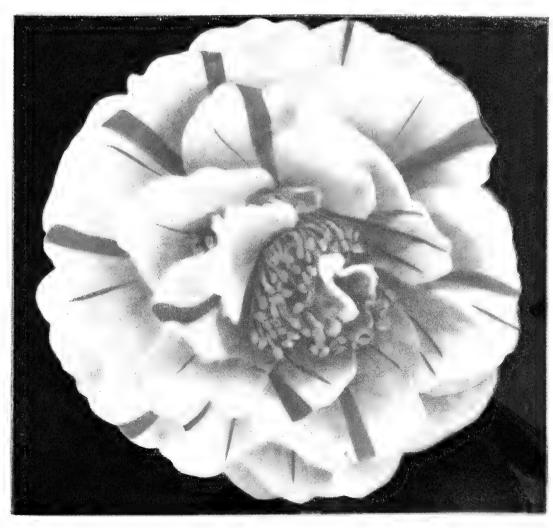
#### CLASS B

Size 1—10 to 12	inch\$1.75
Size 2—12 to 15	inch <b>\$2.25</b>
Size 3—15 to 18	inch <b>\$3.00</b>
Size 4—18 to 24	$\mathrm{inch}\ldots\ldots.\$4.00$
Size 5—24 to 30	$\mathrm{inch}\ldots\ldots.\$5.50$
Size 6-30 to 36	inch
15% off on	10 plants or over.

- AKE-BONO VARIEGATED—Semi-double white, pink stripes. M. (4, 5, 6)
- ALOHA or LADY ALICE or ARAJISHI—Bright red peony-form, resembles carnation; very early bloomer, sometimes in winter. E. (1, 2, 4, 5, 6)
- **AMABILIS** Single white, predominant yellow stamens. M. (1, 2, 4, 5, 6)
- BLOOD OF CHINA or VITTORIO EMAN-UELE—Large red, lovely peony type, sturdy grower. L.
- CHRISTINE LEE Semi-double, rose-pink, long yellow stamens. M.
- **COUNTESS DEVANSITTART** or **LADY VANSITTART**—Semi-double, cherry red, yellow stamens predominant, heavy bloomer, M. (3, 4, 5)
- COUNTESS OF ORKNEY—Double flat white with pink stripes, M. (5, 6)
- **DAINTY**—Double white. Latest bloomer among the white. L. (2, 3, 6)
- **DUC DE ORLEANS**—Peony formed center, white with red stripes. M. (5)
- EARLY CAMPBELL—Small double red, very slow grower. E. (4, 5)
- ECSTACY—Large 3 to 4-inch blooms of rose color with white tip, its habit of growth makes it a lovely bush for a flower bed, M.
- ELENA NOBILE—Double red, very vivid, long season bloomer, M. (1, 2, 3, 4)
- ENRICO BETTONI Large bloom of translucent pink, semi-double with stamens interspersed. M. (4, 5, 6)
- GOSHOGURUMA—Single deep red, dense cluster of petals and golden stamens in center, very fine and very late heavy bloomer, M. (1 to 6)
- HOSHIGURMA—Semi-double, pink, marbled with white. Bushy grower, heavy bloomer, M. (4, 5)
- **HOYIHOKU**—Single white, peony center, M. (1, 2, 3, 4)
- JARVIS RED Large semi-double red with yellow stamens in center, E. (1, 2, 6)
- LADY DE SANQUINAE Semi-double pink with occasional red stripe, yellow stamens in center, M. (4, 5)

- **OTOME PINK** Pale double pink flat bloom. E. (1, 2, 3)
- PAEONIAFLORA—Extremely large white with pink flecks. Peony center. M.
- PERFECTION ALBA—Creamish double white. Looks like Gardenia. M. (1, 2, 3, 4)
- PEARL OF CHINA Single pale pink. Blue-green foliage. Slow, compact grower. M. (1, 2, 3, 4, 5)
- PRINCE ALBERT or CONCORDIA— Loose peony pink with deeper pink stripes. M. (3)
- PRIDE OF PORTLAND—Our own sport from the Red Waukanoura. Semi-double bright red with pure white splotches, very heavy bloomer and a bushy upright grower. One of the favorites of our Nursery visitors. M.
- PRINCESS BACIOCHI—Bright red peony form. Purple veins. L. (5)
- PRINCESS NAGASKIE—Semi-double rose-pink with white blotches. Yellow stamens in center. Variegated foliage. M. (4, 5, 6)
- **PROF. C. S. SARGENT**—Deep red, flat bloom with pompon center. M. (1, 2)
- QUEEN OF HEARTS—Semi-double white with pink stripes. Some blooms are pale blush. Some are solid white. L. (1, 2, 3, 4)
- **RAINY SUN**—Single red, yellow stamens. E. (1, 2, 3)
- ROSEA SUPERBA—Flat double red. M. (1, 2)
- SHIRAGIKU—Double white, heavy bloomer. M. (1, 2, 3)
- SUIBIJINE—Loose petaled type, recurved petals. White flecked with pink. M. (5)
- VALTAVAREDA Large double pink fading to lighter pink in center. M. (1, 2, 3, 4, 5)
- WAUKANOURA WHITE Semi-double white with long yellow stamens. Very profuse bloomer. Bushy grower. M.





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#### CLASS C

Size	110	to	12	inch <b>\$2.00</b>
Size	2 - 12	to	15	inch
Size	315	to	18	inch\$3.50
Size	$4 - \! - \! 18$	to .	24	inch
Size	5-24	to	$3.0^{-}$	inch
Size	6 - 30	to	36	inch\$9.50
	15%	off	on	10 plants or over.



Camellia, Finlandia

- ABUNDANCE—White loose peony form, medium sized bloom. M. (1, 2, 3)
- ANNE LINDBERG Large salmon-pink loose peony center of petaloids. M. (1, 2, 3, 4, 5)
- ANNE SCHWABBE Have not seen it bloom. M. (1, 2, 3)
- APPLEBLOSSOM Single pale pink, sometimes fragrant, M. (1)
- ASPASIA or VARIEGATED EMPEROR OF RUSSIA—Peony form of deep red with white spots, stamens in five different places. M. (1)
- AUGUSTA WILSON Peony flowered deep pink three to four-inch bloom. M. (1, 2, 3, 4)
- BLACK PRINCE—Very dark shiny red, semi-double, with few stamens, M.
- CAPT. MARTIN'S FAVORITE Double rose red with white markings. L. (2, 3)
- CRANDISSIMA or STAR WHITE—Pure white, arrangement of petals resembles a star as all petals come to point. L. (1, 2, 3, 5)

- CAPRICE Lovely semi-double, high center white, stamens and petals intermingled, M. (1, 2, 3, 4, 5)
- CHANDLERI ELEGANS Rosepink, peony center, very large bloom, loose grower, sometimes has white spots. M.
- CHURCH PINK—Loose peony pink. M. (2, 3, 4)
- CHRISTMAS GLORY—Single pink with predominant yellow stamens. E. (1, 2)
- col. FIREY or MISSISSIPPI HASTI or C. M. HOVEY—Large flat double red, perfect form, brilliant, M. (1, 2)
- DAIKAGURA—Large rose blotched white, loose peony form, very nice. This variety is the first to bloom, sometimes blooming at Christmas. E. (1, 2, 3, 4, 5)
- Pale pink peony form, very beautiful, E. (1, 2, 3, 4)
- ELLA DRAYTON—Free blooming, large flat double red, lovely for cut flowers, M. (1, 2, 3, 4)
- EMPEROR OF RUSSIA Bright red peony type of five centers with stamens in each center, very lovely, M.
- ENGLISH APPLEBLOSSOM Large semi-double white, yellow stamens, opens like water lily. M. (1, 2, 3, 4)
- **FEASTI** Imbricated white with pink markings often solid pink, very nice. (1, 2, 3, 4)
- FINLANDIA Semi-double white with long stamens, 4-inch bloom. One of the finest white. M.
- FINLANDIA PINK Semi-double pink with yellow stamens, large bloom. M. (1, 2, 3, 4)
- FINLANDIA VARIEGATED Same as the White Finlandia except this one has pink stripes, very delicate and lovely for corsage. M.
- FLEURS DE RENAISSANCE Semidouble red, M. (1, 2, 3,)

#### CLASS C—Continued

- GRANDIFLORA ROSEA or EMPRESS

  —Extremely large bloom of a beautiful pink semi-double form with long yellow stamens in center and sometimes a peony center of petaloids. 5 to 6-in. blooms. This variety blooms sometimes in January and blooms until April. Picked as winner at 1944 Portland Camellia Show. (1, 2, 3, 4)
- **HERME** Large semi-double rose with red stripes and a pale pink border on each petal, sometimes fragrant, M. (1, 2, 3, 4)
- JULIA DRAYTON Very large double red, has purplish color when bloom gets older. One of the nicest. Picked as winner of 1945 Portland Camellia Show. M.
- **KUMASAKA**—Double salmon pink, sometimes shows stamens, this variety also has peony formed flowers on same bush, very heavy bloomer, and very hardy; blooms young, L. (1, 2, 3, 4)
- MAGNOLIAEFLORA or ROSE OF DAWN
  —Pale pink semi-double 4 in. bloom.
  Yellow stamens in center. One of the loveliest. Picked as winner at 1947
  Camellia Show. M. (1, 2, 3, 4, 5)
- MATHOTIANA RUBRA—Dark red velvet like double formed bloom. M. (1, 2, 3)
- MAGNOLIAEFLORA ALBA—Semidouble pure white with yellow stamens. Petals are long and narrow. Bloom is cup shape. Large bloom. M. (1, 2, 3, 5)
- MATHOTIANA ALBA or BLOOD OF CHRIST Very large pure white double. One pink stripe on every bloom. Petals curve backwards. L.
- MONARCH—Peony type flower of deep pink often spotted with white. Blossoms often measure 6 inches. M. (1, 2, 5, 6)
- MONJISHU RED—Bright red semidouble, yellow stamens. Very showy. Dwarf, bushy grower. Very lovely for low plantings. L. (1, 2, 3, 4, 5)
- MONJISHU VARIEGATED—Same as one above. This one is marbled with white. L. (1, 2, 3, 4, 5)

- MONTIRONI WHITE or ELIZABETH—Double, high centered with occasional pink stripe. M. (1, 2, 3, 4, 5)
- MYKENJAKU—Large bloom of rose with white splotches. Semi-double form. Truly a beauty. Picked as winner in 1946 Camellia Show. E.M.
- PANACHE Large double pink. Pale pink on inside of bloom and paler pink on edge of petals. E. (1, 2, 3)
- PINE CONE or MATSUKASA—Semidouble pine cone shaped. Rose marbled with white. M. (1, 2, 3, 4, 5)
- PINK BEAUTY—Large deep pink double, petals recurve under; lovely. L.
- PINK BALL—Pompon centered type of pale pink. M. (1,2,3,4)
- POPE PIUS IX or CARLOTTA GRISSI
  -Very hardy large double red sometimes with white fleck. M. (1, 2, 3, 4)
- PRINCESS BACHINACHI—Bright double red with pure white blotches. Keeps bud center for long time. L. (1, 2, 3, 4)
- REV. J. BENNETT Large semi-double salmon pink with pale lighter markings of almost white in the throat. (1, 2, 3, 4)
- SOUV. DE BAHAUD LITOU—Pale pink flat double. White edges on petals. Petals curve backwards. L.
- STARDUST—Dark pink peony type, stamens mixed in clusters in bloom. M.
- TE DEUM—Enormous peony formed dark red, velvet-like texture, wonderful color. L.
- VARIABILIS—Semi-double with pompon center. White with pink flecks, pink with white flecks. Solid white and solid pink all on same bush. Lovely. M. (1, 2, 3, 4)
- WHITE CHANDLERI ELEGANS—Large semi-double white with pompon center of petaloids and some stamens. M. (1, 2, 3, 4)
- WATERLOO Semi-double white with loose peony center of petaloids, tissue paper-like large bloom. E.M.



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## Class D Camellias

Class D Camellias are all newer, rare varieties grafted on 2 and 3-year-old roots. The purpose of a grafted plant is to age the plant so that it will grow faster and bloom younger. We do this by grafting onto the root of a Camellia that has been grown 2 or 3 years. A grafted plant usually blooms the second year after grafting

Size	110	to	12	inch \$ 4.00
Size	2 - 12	to	15	inc#\$ 5.00
Size	315	to	1.8	inch <b>\$ 6.00</b>
Size	418	to	24	inch \$ 7.00
Size	5 - 24	to	3.0	inch
Size	$6-\cdot 24$	to	-3.0	inch—bushy <b>\$12.00</b>

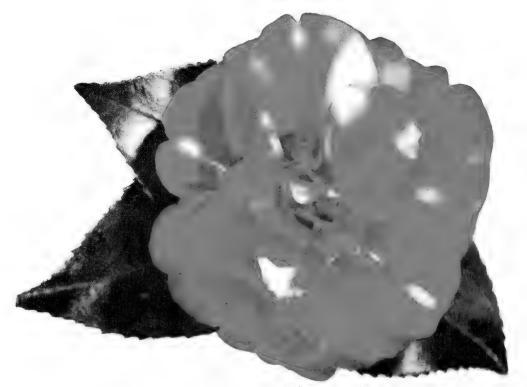
- ADOLPH AUDUSSON—Crimson semi-double with showy yellow stamens. Very large bloom. Velvet texture. "Camellia of the year" for 1949 Portland Camellia Show. M. (1, 2, 3, 4)
- **ADOLPH AUDUSSON VARIEGATED**—Same as the red. This one is marbled with white. M. (1, 2)
- **ALBA PLENA FIMBRIATA**—Flat double white. Edges of petals are serrated. Wonderful flower. M. (1, 2, 3, 4)
- **AMABILIS PINK**—Single pale pink. Predominant yellow stamens. M. (1, 2)
- **AMABILIS VARIEGATED**—Single white with pink stripes, predominant yellow stamens. M. (1, 2)
- AMERICAN BEAUTY—Double red. M. (1, 2)



Christine Lee (See page 7)







Monjishu Variegated (See page 10)

- ANNA MARIE HOVEY Carmine with white stripes. Flat double and peony type on same bush. (3)
- AUBURN WHITE Semi-double blush, fading to pure white, with long yellow stamens. Cup shape bloom. New variety. (1, 2, 3)
- BESSIE McARTHUR—Large semi-double deep pink. Has three or four layers of petals and petaloids mixed. M. (1, 2, 3, 4)
- CALIFORNIA -- Single to semi-double bloom of rose-pink. Broad and long petals. (1, 2, 3, 4)
- CLAUDIA LEE Pink with yellow stamens. Cup shape bloom. Single. Lovely color. M. (1, 2, 3, 4)
- COLLETTI MACULATA Peony form red with white blotches. (1)
- CONFLAGRATION Large semi-double bright red. Stamens and petaloids mixed. M. (1)
- CUP OF BEAUTY Semi-double pink. Keeps bud shape long time. (1)
- **DAISY BANKS**—Large. Varied in form, pure white; tissue paper like. (1, 2)
- DAITARIN—Large single pink, predominant yellow stamens and feather-like petaloids in center. This is one of the most unusual and beautiful. (1, 2, 3)
- DANIELS FLUFFY—New seedling. Cherry red, peony type, dotted white. Different. (2,3)
- DAYBREAK Pale pink peony form, good bloomer. Lovely. (1, 2, 3, 4, 5)
- **DAVID GERBING**—Loose peony formed carmine rose. (3, 4)
- **DERBYANA**—Semi-double peony form of deep rose. (2, 3, 4)
- **DONKLARRI ENGLISH** Semi-double rose with white splotches, yellow stamens in center. 4 to 6 inch bloom. M. (1, 2)
- **DORI McCARTER**—Large single white, yellow stamens. (1, 2)
- DR. LEE—Semi-double bright red. Very thick petals. Very large bloom. Profuse bloomer. Sometimes is marbled with white. (1, 2, 3, 4)
- DUCHESS OF WINDSOR—Newer seedling. No description. Out till 1952.
- **DUNCAN BELL**—Peony formed red. 5 to 6 inch blooms; fast grower. (2, 3)
- EDITH CHURCHWELL—Description unknown. (2, 3, 4)
- ELEANOR OF FAIROAKS—Peony type of deep red marbled white. M. (1, 4)
- ELEANOR HAGOOD—Pale double pink. Center fades to white. L. (1)
- ELIZABETH ARDEN Double white striped and dotted pink. (2, 3, 4)
- ELEANOR FRANCHETTI—Large peony white with pink stripes. Vigorous grower. (1)

- **ELIZABETH BOARDMAN**—Semi-double sating white, irregular form with yellow stamens interspersed. Lovely. (1, 2, 3, 4)
- **EL TRAMONTO**—Large flat double pink marbled with white. M. (1, 2, 3, 4, 5)
- EMPEROR WILHELM, THE EMPEROR

  —One of the most spectacular Camellias. Very large semi-double red with white blotches. Peony center of petaloids and stamens. Large leaves, loose flower. M. (1, 2, 3, 4)
- **EUGENE LIZZIE**—Semi-double rose with white markings. Blooms vary in formation. (1, 2)
- ENRICO BETTONI Large bloom of translucent pink. Semi-double to double.
- FIMBRIATA SUPERBA or FRED SANDERS—This is a spectacular Camellia. The build of a ruffled Petunia in a soft red with serrated edges. Petals are leather-like. M.L. (1, 2, 3, 4)
- FINLANDIA PINK F.N. or ROSARY— Semi-double pink with yellow stamens. Large blooms. New seedling. M. (1, 2, 3, 4)
- FLAME—Flame color or orange red semidouble cup shaped with yellow stamens. Most outstanding in color. Extremely heavy bloomer. M.
- GIGANTEA ALBA—Pure white, five petals that lie flat with a large circle of yellow stamens. 4 to 6 inch bloom. Very grand. E.M. (3, 4, 5)
- GLEN 40—Full double scarlet, very large bloom. Resembles a Dahlia. (1, 2, 3)
- WHITE CRANE or HAKU RAKUTEN— Large semi-double pure white with petaloids and yellow stamens. M. (1, 2, 3, 4)
- HARLEQUIN—Very large peony form of pink and white. Some blooms on bush are solid color of pink and white. M. (4, 5)
- HELEN OF TROY or H. A. DOWNING— Semi-double deep rosy red with long yellow stamens, petals twist but lie outward. M. (3, 4, 5)
- IMURA Semi-double pure white with long yellow stamens. Petals are long and narrow. Looks like Water Lily. M. (1, 2)
- **KIMBERLEY**—Five petals of bright red with a pin cushion center of pink stamens with yellow tips. Very odd and pretty. M. (1, 2, 4)
- KING LEAR Semi-double cherry red mottled with white. Clusters of yellow stamens in center. Belong to the Finlandia family. (1, 4, 5)
- LADY HOVEY—Double white. Sometimes with pink flecks. (4)

- LADY MARY CROMARTIE—Large semidouble to loose peony form of deep rosy red. Stamens and petaloids mixed in center. (1)
- LOTUS—The largest bloom of all the whites. Semi-double tissuepaper-like white with yellow stamens. 6 inch blooms. 1948 winner at Portland Camellia show. (1, 2, 3)
- MARCHIONESS OF EXETER—Deep pink peony formed flowers. Very large blooms. (1)
- MARGURITA COLEONIS—Double crimson splashed with white. (1, 2, 3)
- MARGARET HIGDON—Loose peony form with stamens mingled with center petals. Rose red color with margin of white. (3, 4, 5)
- MARY E. M.—Semi-double large salmon pink. (2, 3, 4)
- MARION MITCHELL—Very large semidouble scarlet red, sometimes petals and petaloids in center. (1, 2, 3, 4)
- MENA LADNIER or RED CHANDLERI
  —Brilliant red, loose flat outer petals. Center of petals has cluster of petaloids mixed with petals. Often is marbled with white. (1)
- MRS. BALDWIN WOOD—New seedling. White semi-double. Peony center of petaloids. (1)
- MRS. CHAS. COBB Coppery bronze, loose peony form. Stamens mixed throughout flower. Very good. (1, 2, 3, 4)
- MRS. CHAS. SIMONS—Large semi-double white, loose constructions. Stamens and petaloids in center. Lovely. (1, 2, 3, 4)
- MRS. TANNERS RED—1 to 2 inch bloom of red. Cute. (1)
- PINK BEAUTY—Large deep pink double. Petals recurve back. L. (1, 2, 3, 4)
- PINK POPPY Pale pink single bloom with circle of yellow. Short stamens and petaloids. Out till 1952.
- PINK STAR Pale pink peony form. Heavy bloomer. (1, 2, 3, 4)

- PRESIDENT LINCOLN—Very new. Bright red semi-double with loose peony center. M. (3, 4, 5)
- QUEEN BESSIE—Semi-double white with faint blushes at center. Large wavy petals. Very large bloom. (1)
- REGINA DE GIGANTI Loose semidouble crystal pink. M. (3)
- **RISING SUN**—Brilliant red single with bright yellow stamens in center. Very large bloom. (1, 3)
- ROSE GLORY—Single rose with circle of yellow stamens. E. (1)
- ROOSEVELT BLUES—Semi-double with loose peony form of petals and petaloids in center. Red, which changes to blue as bloom gets older. Very new and rare. (1, 2)
- SILVER MOON—Large flat double white. New and rare. (1)
- **TEUTONIA** Pale double pink. Center darker pink. (2, 3, 4)
- TRIPHOSA Single, enormous pure white. Circle of yellow stamens. Large petals. (1, 2, 4, 5)
- **UNCLE SAM**—Large flat double cherry red. Dahlia type. (2, 3)
- VILLE DE NANTES This is one of the outstanding Camellias. Bright flame red, long oblong shape, semi-double with yellow stamens. Petals are folded and stand up in the middle like an Orchid. The edges are finely serrated as though they had been trimmed with pinking shears. There is no other Camellia like this one and every Camellia lover should be sure to have it. (1, 2, 3, 4, 5)
- VILLE DE NANTES VARIEGATED —
  Same as red with exception of white spots. (1)
- WM. PENN Varies in form from full peony to single with pompon center. Colors are from deepest red and white to a purplish-red. Beautiful foliage. Serrated leaves. Look like they have been pinked with pinking shears. (1, 2, 3)

# Sasangua Camellias

The Sasanqua Camellia has very small leaves and flowers. Blooms in the fall and early spring. They are evergreen and are wonderful in landscapes or for hedges. Good to grow as an Espalier, too. They are very slow growing so can be used in places where other shrubs would grow too large. Good for use beside a pool, especially the White Dove Sasangua.

Size 1-10 to 12 inch....\$2.50

Size 2—12 to 15 inch....**\$3.50** 

BUTTERFLY — Semi-double white with deep pink border on each petal. (1)

CRIMSON KING — Fuchsia red, semi-double.

CRIMSON VELVET—Semi-double red.

Size 3—15 to 18 inch....**\$4.50** 

HIRYO—Semi-double Fuchsia red. (1, 2)

GRANDIFLORA ALBA—Double white.

WHITE DOVE — Semi-double white.

Weeping habit grower. (1)

RED SASANQUA—Single red.



Rhododendron, Britannia (See page 18)



Rhododendrons in a Colorful Mass Planting

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## Rhododendrons

A lovely, hardy broadleaved evergreen with beautiful flowers of many different colors to select from. They are native to our Northwest and are world known for their great beauty. They are easy to grow and do well in climates which do not get too cold. Check our planting guide for best results in growing. By planting the early, midseason and late blooming varieties you can have a long season of beauty. They follow the Camellia in their blooming season, so by using both of them in your land-scape you can have months of blooming color in your yard besides having the evergreen foliage to look at the year around.

For hot climates plant in afternoon shade and keep water on foliage during long, dry spells.

Stars (\*) denote classification of plants by the Rhododendron society. Four stars being the highest rating.

The letters A, B or C in back of each variety denotes classification as to best planting location.

- A—Can stand sun. Very hardy in zero temperatures.
- B—Needs partial afternoon shade. Very hardy in zero temperatures.
- C—Needs partial afternoon shade. Hardly only in mild winters.

10% off on 10 plants or over; 15% off on 25 plants or over

Size 1—10 to 12 inch <b>\$ 3.25</b>	Size 4—18 to 24 inch <b>\$ 6.50</b>
Size 2—12 to 15 inch\$ 4.00	Size 5—24 to 30 inch\$ 8.00
Size 3—15 to 18 inch <b>\$ 5.00</b>	Size 6-30 to 36 inch <b>\$10.50</b>

NOTE: At the end of each description you will find a list of sizes available in the variety described; for example: LOUIS PASTEUR...(1, 2, 3). This means 10 to 12 inch, 12 to 15 inch and 15 to 18 inch plants are available. Where no sizes are given we have all sizes available.

#### GROUP I

ALICE—Deep pink, fading to rose. Compact, midseason blooms. B.

\*\* R#

**BAGSHOT RUBY** — Blood crimson, midseason to late. B. (1, 2, 3, 4)

\*\* **C**C

- COUNTESS OF DERBY or EUREKA MAID — Rose pink, bushy. Midseason. B. (3, 4)
- C. B. VAN NESS—Dark scarlet, vigorous, late. C. (3, 4, 5, 6)
- CYNTHIA Rosy crimson, cone shape, vigorous, midseason. B.

FASTUOSUM FLORE PLENO—Deep lavender, tufted center. Midseason. A.

GOMER WATERER—White, tinted edge of lavender. Bushy, late. A. (1, 2, 3, 4)

IVERY'S SCARLET — Very vigorous, blood red trusses in late May. C. (1, 2)

- LADY CLEMENTINA WALSH Blush edged white, yellow eye. Bushy. Late. B.
- LANGLEY PARK Deep red, compact, midseason. B. (1, 2, 3, 4)
- LORD ROBERTS—Dark red, black spots, bushy. Late. A. (1, 2, 3)
- LOUIS PASTEUR—Pink, lighter center. B. (1, 2, 3)
- MADAM DE BRUIN--Cerise red, bushy, midseason. B. (1, 2, 3)
- MADAM GUILLEMONT Rose pink, deeper center. B. (1, 2, 3)
- MADAME MASSON White, yellow blotch. Midseason.
- MICHAEL WATERER—Bright red, compact, midseason. B. (2, 3, 4, 5)
- MRS. A. T. DE LA MARE—White with green spot. Vigorous, midseason. Late. A.
- MRS. JOHN WATERER—Rosy crimson. C.
- MRS. MARY ASHLEY Salmon pink, shaded cream. Bushy, midseason. B. (1, 2, 3)

#### **GROUP I** — Continued

MRS. R. S. HOLFORD — Rosy salmon. B. (1, 2, 3, 4)

PINK BEAUTY—Pink. C. (2, 3, 4)

- PINK PEARL Rose pink, fading to blush. Very large blooms. Vigorous. Midseason. B.
- PROFESSOR J. H. ZAAYER—Good red. B. (1, 2, 3)

TRILBY—Deep crimson. Midseason. Vigorous. B.

WHITE PEARL—Slightly blush, turning to white. Vigorous. Midseason. B. (4, 5, 6)

VAN NES SENSATION—Large pale lavender with white center. Compact; early. Fragrant. C. (2, 3, 4)

#### GROUP II

Size	1 - 10	to	12	inch <b>\$ 4.50</b>
Size	2 - 12	to	15	inch \$ 5.50
Size	$3 - \! - \! 15$	to	18	inch <b>\$ 6.50</b>
Size	418	to	24	inch <b>\$ 8.00</b>
Size	5-24	to	3.0	inch <b>\$10.00</b>
Size	630	to	36	inch <b>\$12.50</b>

- ANNIE E. ENCTZ—Dutch hybrid, silvery pink. Very good. B. (1, 2, 3, 4)
- ANTOON VAN WELIE Dutch hybrid. Good pink. B. (1, 2)
- AUGUSTINH Blue, upright grower, early. Small leaves. A. (1, 2)
- BEAUTY OF LITTLEWORTH Large white, vigorous, midseason. B. (3, 4, 5)
- BETTY WORMALD—Rose pink, purple blotch. Largest sized bloom of the pinks. Midseason. C. (1, 2, 3, 4)
- BOW BELLS—Bright pink bells. Bushy, slow, late. C. (1, 2, 3, 4)
- BROUGHTONH AUREUM—Yellow. Very good. B. (1, 2)
- BUTTERFLY Pale lemon with brown blotch. Bushy. Midseason. B.
- COMMANDER—Light red, large bloom.
  Vigorous. (1)
- CORNUBA—Blood red, vigorous; early. C. (1, 2, 3)
- DR. ARNOLD W. ENDZ Carmine, fringed petals, large truss, midseason. A. (1, 2)
- FABIA Soft orange bells, satin-like bloom. Bushy, midseason to late. B.
- DONCASTER—Scarlet crimson. Vigorous. B. (1)
- GARNET—Deep salmon rose. Vigorous, late. C. (2, 3, 4)

- IGNATIUS SARGENT—Soft rose, A. (1)
- JAN DEKENS—Pink, fringed, handsome foliage, large trusses, midseason. B. (1, 2, 3)
- J. H. VAN NESS—Soft red, dwarfish. Midseason. C.
- LADY STUART OF WORTLEY Very vigorous, large glowing pink, tall truss in early May. C. (1, 2, 3)
- LADY BLIGH Strawberry red; bushy; midseason. C. (1, 2 3)
- LADY PRIMROSE Lemon yellow, red spots, bushy. Midseason. B. (2, 3)
- LODER'S WHITE—Pale pink, fading to white. Vigorous, early. C. (2, 3, 4, 5, 6)
- MADAME F. R. CHAUVIN—Rose pink, pale center. Vigorous, late. C. (1, 2 3, 4, 5)
- MRS. E. C. STERLING—Pale orchid. Vigorous, midseason. B.
- RAINBOW Pink, dark edges. Midseason. B. (1, 2, 3, 4)
- ROSA MUNDI Pale pink. Very early bloomer. Slow, bushy. A. (1, 2, 3, 4)
- UNKNOWN WARRIOR—Bright red; vigorous, early, C. (1, 2, 3, 4, 5)
- **ZUIDER ZEE**—Lemon yellow, red spots. Midseason. B. (1, 2)

#### **GROUP III**

Size 1—10 to 12 inch...\$ 5.50 Size 2—12 to 15 inch... \$ 6.50 Size 3—15 to 18 inch... \$ 7.50

AZOR-Soft salmon, vigorous; midseason. B. (1, 2, 3)

BLUE TIT-Dwarf compact plants covered with lovely light blue flowers. Early. Delightful for rock gardens and the front of shrub plantings. A (1)

BLUE PETER—Pale lavender blue with a deep blotch, good foliage and habit, blooming in May. A. (1)

BRITANNIA—Waxy bright red, late. Very bushy. B. (1, 2, ,3 4)

- CILIATUM Dwarf, light pink. Early bloom. C. (1)
- **DAPHNOIDS** Purple. Slow. Not yet rated. A. (1)

DR. O. BLOCK—Pale pink center, deeper pink edged. Cone shape bloom. Midseason. B. (2, 3, 4, 5)

EARL OF ATHLONE — Blood red bells, upright, early. One of the finest reds. C. (2, 3, 4)

- ELSPETH A. M.—Scarlet at first, later apricot with scarlet edges. Compact. Late. B. (1, 2, 3)
- F. C. PUDDLE—New, no rating yet. Orange red. Lovely. (2, 3, 4)

- FRAGRANTISSIMUM White, tinged pink. Fragrant. C. (1, 2)
- GILL'S CRIMSON—Blood crimson. Vigorous, early. C. (3, 4, 6)
- IMPEDITUM Very dwarf. Deep blue. Lovely. (1)
- JEAN MARY MONTAGUE—New, not yet rated. Bright scarlet, compact, late. Wonderful. (2, 3, 4, 5)

KING GEORGE — Bright red. Vigorous. Early. C. (2, 3)

Size 4—18 to 24 inch... \$ 9.50

Size 5—24 to 30 inch... \$12.00

Size 6-30 to 36 inch... **\$15.00** 

LODERI KING GEORGE — Enormous white truss. One of the loveliest whites. Vigorous, midseason. C. (2, 3,

MARS — Deep red, compact, early. B. (1, 2, 3, 4)

MAY DAY—Deep orange red, long bells. Slow, bushy. B. (1)

MRS. FURNIVAL — Low growing dark green foliage, striking light pink flowers with a sienna blotch in late May or early June. B. (1, 2)

MRS. G. W. LEAK — Deep pink, purple blotch. One of the loveliest early bloomers. Vigorous. C. (1, 2, 3, 4, 5)

**PRAECOX**—Rosy lilac, upright grower, very early. B. (1)

- PURPLE SPLENDOR Deep purple, brown blotch in center. Only one of its color. Bushy. Midseason. B. (1, 2, 3, 4)
- **PYGMALION** Crimson scarlet, black spot. Lovely. Vigorous. B. (1)
- **SAPPHO** White, heavily spotted. A.
- ROMANY CHAI—New, no rating yet. Velvety deep scarlet. Bushy, late. (1, 2, 3, 4)
- SHANGLEREA—New no rating yet. Variegated red. Unusual. (2, 3, 4)
- SOUV. OF W. C. SLOCOCK Primrose yellow, bushy, late. B. (2, 3)
- **TALLYHO**—Scarlet, vigorous. Very late. C. (1, 2, 3)

UNIQUE - Waxy yellow, compact. Midseason. B. (1, 2, 3)

VULCAN—Brick-red, fine bloomer, late midseason. (1, 2)

#### **GROUP IV** TREE RHODODENDRONS

Two to three foot stem with ball shape on top. When these Tree Rhododendrons bloom they look like a big bouquet of flowers. We have only a limited stock of these but they are all nice, large blooming varieties such as ALICE, PINK PEARL, BETTY WORMALD, etc. \$15.00 and \$25.00

#### GROUP V RHODODENDRON HYBRID SEEDLINGS

(Very Hardy)

Imported seed from Holland and hybridized from choice red varieties only. May get some choice new red varieties out of this selection which could be named. All sizes from 6 to 18 inches.

Imported seed from Holland, hybridized from choice varieties of all colors which may develop into all different colors, red, pink, white and lavender. Some of the new varieties which will develop from this seed may be named. All sizes from 6 to 18 inches.

6	to	8	inch	 ۰				.\$ .75;	10	plants	\$ 6.00
8	to	12	inch	 ٠			٠	. \$1.00;	<b>10</b>	plants	\$ 8.00
10	to	12	inch		۰	 	۰	. \$1.50;	10	plants	\$12.00
12	to	15	inch			 		. \$2.00;	10	plants	\$17.50
15	to	18	inch					. \$2.50:	10	plants	\$22.50

#### GROUP VI RHODODENDRON SPECIES

We have seedlings of a number of interesting species, some suitable for mass plantings for background effect, others for the shrub border.

Size 1—4 to	6 ii	$\operatorname{nch}\ldots\ldots$	\$	.50;	10	plants <b>\$4.5</b> 0
Size 2—6 to	8 ir	nch	\$	.75;	10	plants <b>\$6.00</b>
Size 3—8 to	lo ir	nch	<b> \$</b> 1	1.00;	10	plants \$8.00

**DECORUM**—White to light pink, sweet scented. (1, 2)

**DISCOLOR**—Pale pink to white. (1, 2)

**DIAPREPES**—Very fragrant white. (1, 2)

FORTUNEI—Very large flowers of shell pink to white. (1)

GRIERSONIANUM—Apricot to Geranium scarlet. Very choice. 4 to 6 inch, \$1.00; 10 plants \$8.00.

MACULIFERUM — Pink to light reds. (1, 2)

**PONTICUM**—Purple, lavender and orchid. (2, 3)

## Suggestions on Planting

Camellias, Azaleas and Rhododendrons are three of the choicest shrubs that are used in landscapes. They are all evergreen blooming plants. The Camellias bloom first and before they are through blooming the Azaleas start to bloom and the Rhododendrons follow on through, which gives a long season of blooms. The Mollis Azalea loses its leaves in the winter so should be planted among the evergreen shrubs. The dwarf Heathers also fit in nicely with Camellias, Azaleas and Rhododendrons as they bloom summer, winter, spring and fall. Gardeners that have only a limited time to work in their yards will appreciate all of these plants as there is very little pruning, no transplanting if placed properly to start, and very little if any spraying for insects to do. They are also easy to grow as they all prefer the same type acid, loose peat-moss soil. But one should be very careful not to over-fertilize the Azaleas. A teaspoonful of any acid fertilizer each year is plenty. If your climate is hot and dry no doubt you will have a sweet soil. To produce acid soil epsom salts or aluminum sulphate can be used. About one tea-cup per plant and water in well. They like water on their foliage as they breathe through their leaves, which makes them easy to care for as you can easily turn the sprinkler on them for an hour or so once or twice a week, depending of course on your climate. Never allow soil around plants to dry. The old Camellia and Rhododendron blooms are liable to cause a disease so be sure to keep them picked off from plants and do not allow them to lie on the ground. Dispose of them. Do not use them in compost piles.

If these simple instructions are followed all plants should be thrifty, healthy plants that bloom profusely. They should be a joy to all flower lovers the year around.

## Andromeda

ANDROMEDA — White blooms like Lily of the Valley. Hangs in clusters like grapes. Blooms early spring.

6 to 8 in. \$ .75

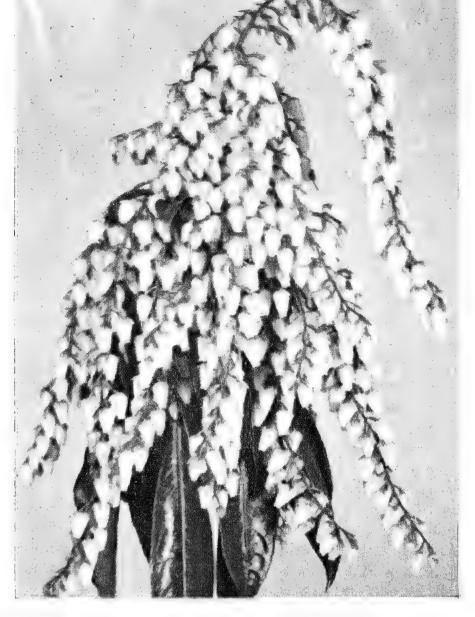
8 to 10 in. **\$1.00** 

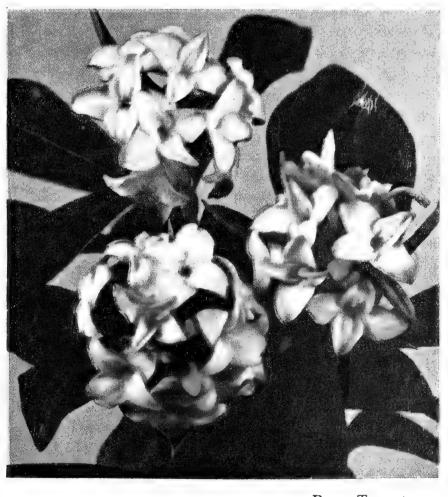
10 to 12 in. **\$1.50** 

12 to 15 in. **\$2.25** 

15 to 18 in. **\$2.75** 

18 to 24 in. **\$3.25** 





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# Daphne

ROCK DAPHNE — Low, dwarf growing. Fragrant pink blooms.

6 to 8 in. spread \$1.25;

8 to 10 in. spread \$1.75;

10 to 12 in. spread \$2.50.

**DAPHNE ODORA** — Very fragrant pink blooms in early spring. Round bush form.

6 to 8 in. tall . . . \$ .75;

8 to 10 in. tall . . . \$1.03;

10 to 12 in. spread \$1.50;

12 to 15 in. spread \$2.25;

15 to 18 in. spread \$3.00;

18 to 24 in. spread \$4.00;

24 to 30 in. spread \$5.00.

#### Broad-Leaved Energreens

PERNETTYA - White bell flowers in the spring, clusters of berries in the fall and winter. Evergreen.

White Berried or Pink Berried. 6 inches tall 75c; 5 plants \$3.00

**SKIMMLA** Broadleaved shiny evergreen. White clusters of flowers in the spring. Red berries in the fall and winter. Low bushy grower. Grows well in shade.

1 year plants **75c; 5 plants \$3.00** 

#### Vines

CLEMATIS — Climbing vine. Blooms in summer. 4 to 5 inch flowers.

1 year plants \$1.00; 5 plants \$4.00

2 year plants **\$2.50** 

1 year plants except as noted. Blue Lawsoniana—Pale blue.

Henryi-White.

Jackmanni—Deep purple.

Lady Balfour—Velvet maroon.

Lanuginosa--Large white, 7 inch bloom. Montana Pink---Pink. Spring bloomer. Ramona—Pale blue. 1 and 2 year plants. Veillardi—Pale lavender. 1 and 2 year.

IVY—Small green leaves, very slow growing. Ideal for house plants, and outdoor plants. Evergreen.

1 year plants \$ .50; 5 plants \$2.00 2 year plants \$1.25; 5 plants \$5.00

#### Dogwood

DOGWOOD TREE—White, 4 to 5 inch blooms in the spring. Very beautiful for its foliage. Leaves change from green to 6 or 8 different colors at one time in the fall. 18 to 24 in. **\$1.50**; 24 to 30 in. **\$2.50**; 30 to 36 in. \$3.00; 36 to 40 in. \$3.50.

#### Gerns

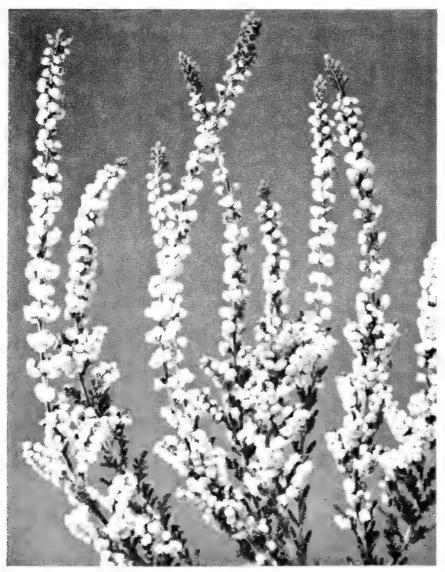
AUSTRALIAN FERN-Very hardy, beautiful foliage. Ideal for shaded areas. 1 year plants \$ .50; 5 plants \$2.00 2 year plants \$1.50; 5 plan's \$6.00

## Heathers

Field grown, low, dwarf evergreen growing varieties. Fine for use in borders, window boxes, urns, rockeries, etc.

"Plant Heathers for Year Around Bloom"





Heather, Mrs. H. E. Beale

GOLDEN LEAF HEATHER --Lavender blooms, July to Sept. Sizes: 2 year and 3 year.

**HAMILTON** — Double pink blooms, May to July. 2 year and 3 year.

MRS. H. E. BEALE — Double pink blossoms, August to October. Long spikes of blooms. Good for dried flower. Sizes: 2 year and 3 year. Illustrated at left.

MAXWELL—Dark rose blooms. June to Sept. Sizes: 2 and 3 year.

MEDITERRANEAN — Double pink blooms, December to March.

12 to 15" **\$2.00** 

3 plants \$5.00

15 to 18" **\$2.25**;

3 plants \$6.00

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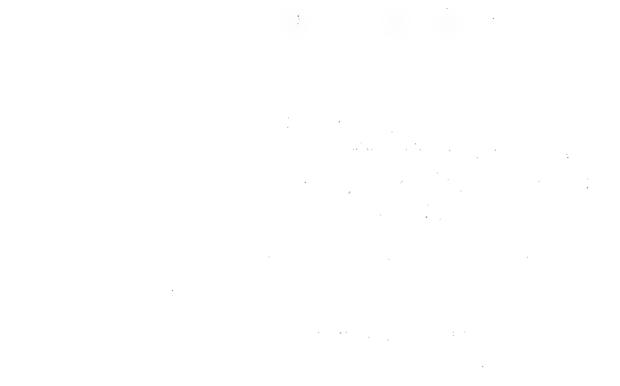
# Important Notice!

Due to the high cost of living and shipping rates we have CUT our PRICES on Camellias, Rhododendrons and Azaleas 10 to 20 per cent from our Fall of 1948 and Spring of 1949 Catalog prices.

The prices shown in this Catalog are the RE-DUCED PRICES for Fall of 1950 and Spring of 1951.

We have made this reduction in prices to offset the cost of shipping.

Portland Camellia Nursery



## Planting and Care of Camellias, Azaleas and Rhododendrons

HERE ARE A FEW SIMPLE INSTRUCTIONS TO FOLLOW WHEN PLANTING CAMELLIAS, RHODODENDRONS AND AZALEAS, AND HELPFUL HINTS ON THEIR CARE AND MAINTENANCE

- 1. The best location for planting is governed by your climate. If summer suns are extremely hot for long periods use semi-shaded areas. Allow at least 3 feet space between plant and object. Protect young plants from hot summer sun with lath shade which may be discontinued as plants grow larger. As they grow they get hardier. NOTE—Rhododendrons are classified as to best planting location. Azaleas can be planted 1 to 1½ feet apart or farther, bush form 3 feet apart.
- 2. These plants are easy to grow with the correct soil. They thrive in loose, loamy soil with good drainage. We attain this soil with the use of peat-moss, rotted vegetation or leaf mold or well-rotted sawdust. Sand may be added in hole before planting to insure good drainage to clay soil.
- 3. Do not over-fertilize. IF you use well-rotted barnyard fertilizer use only on top of ground. Be sure to keep away from Azaleas as they do not like fertilizers. Never use any fertilizers which contain lime as they are acid loving plants. Any acid fertilizer is good. We use Vigoro with very good results. Sprinkle 1 or 2 handfuls around plant on top of ground. A very large plant could use a little more. We fertilize them twice a year, once in early fall and once in early spring. To maintain an acid soil condition sprinkle 1 cup of Epsom salts on top of the ground around each plant. Be sure to water Vigoro and Epsom Salts into the ground. Use sparingly so that fiber roots on top of ground do not get burned from over-fertilizing.
- 4. The watering of these plants is very important. The fiber roots grow close to the top of the ground and therefore will dry out if not watered during the dry months of the year. The peat moss you put on top of ground around your plants will help to hold the moisture. All three of these shrubs like water on their foliage. Sprinklers can be turned on them every two or three days in hot weather.

If these maintenance instructions are followed you should have healthy plants with good green foliage and normal sized blooms. Remember, the care you give your plants will show.

5. PLANTING INSTRUCTIONS—LEAVE BURLAP ON PLANT AS IT HOLDS ROOTS TOGETHER AND KEEPS WIND FROM WHIPPING PLANT LOOSE IN GROUND. THIS APPLIES TO ALL SHRUBS. DIG HOLE 8 INCHES LARGER THAN BALL OF PLANT. IF YOUR SOIL IS CLAY, FILL IN BOTTOM OF HOLE WITH SAND FOR DRAINAGE. MIX SOIL AND PEAT MOSS OR ROTTED VEGETATION TOGETHER WITH HANDFUL OF VIGORO. SET PLANT IN HOLE SO THAT TOP OF BALL IS EVEN WITH THE GROUND. FILL HALF OF THE HOLE AROUND PLANT WITH PEAT MOSS AND SOIL AND LITTLE VIGORO, PACK SOLID. NOW POUR A COUPLE OF BUCKETS OF WATER IN HOLE AND ALLOW TO SETTLE. FINISH FILLING HOLE WITH MIXTURE AND ADD 2 OR 3 INCHES OF PEAT MOSS OR LEAF MOLD ON TOP OF GROUND TO INSURE MOISTURE FOR TOP FEEDER ROOTS. SPRINKLE TOP OF GROUND WELL WHEN FINISHED.

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# Azaleas

Azaleas are fine plants for use in borders as well as single plantings in landscapes. They are wonderfully colorful when in bloom, and also their foliage adds color in the fall. They start to bloom after the Camellia season and many varieties bloom long after the Rhododendrons are through. By using the different varieties of Azaleas you will have a long blooming season. Because of their slow growing habit they can be used prominently for landscaping. Make your home outstanding with modern, beautiful blooming evergreen shrubs.

#### Low growing evergreen hardy varieties.

4 to	6	inch	spread	Each	\$1.00;	5	plants \$ 4.0	00
6 to	8	inch	spread	Each	\$1.25;	5	plants \$ 5.0	90
8 to	10	inch	spread	Each	\$1.50;	5	plants \$ 6.0	90
10 to	12	inch	spread	Each	<b>\$2.00</b> ;	5	plants \$ 8.3	50
12 to	15	inch	spread	Each	\$3.00;	5	plants \$12.6	00
15 to	18	inch	spread	Each	\$4.00;	5	plants \$17.6	00

HINODEGIRI — Single red. Low bushy grower. First Azalea to bloom. Have all sizes.

**HEXE**—Red double. Blooms after the Hinodegiri. Sizes 4 to 6" and 6 to 8".

SHERWOODI—Single lavender. Blooms late May. Large sizes only.

**LATIFOLIA** ALBA — Large white, late. 6 to 8" to 15 to 18".

DARK PURPLE — Single purple, Midseason, 4 to 6", 6 to 8".

WARD'S RUBY—Dark ruby red. Does not fade. Long lasting bloom. New and very beautiful. Early. 4 to 6" \$1.25; 6 to 8" \$1.75. Limited.

ROSEA FLORA — Double salmon pink, rose type, very dwarf and bushy. Blooms after all of the above varieties. Very long lasting blooms. Wonderful for borders. 4 by 4" 75c; 6 by 6" \$1.20; 8 by 8" \$1.75; 8 to 10" \$2.25.



Azalea, Rosea Flora

## INDICA VARIETIES . . . Evergreen Slow Growers 6 to 8 in.....\$1.50 8 to 10 in.....\$1.75

ENCKE WHITE—Large white with pink flecks. Midseason.

VIOLACEA—Salmon.

**SWEETHEART SUPREME** — Pink with deeper flecks of rose. Large, summer blooms.

#### BUSH FORM AZALEAS

AZALEA ALTACLARENSIS — Burnt orange, fragrant. Very lovely. Field grown, 8 to 10" \$1.00; 6 plants \$5.00.

10 to 12" \$2.00; 6 plants \$10.00.

12 to 15" \$3.00.

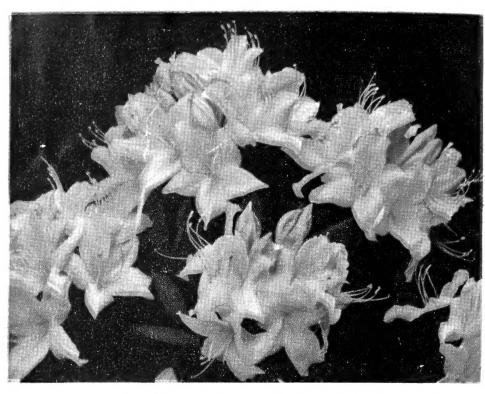
AZALEA MOLLIS — Flame orange to salmon pink. Field grown.

Special: 8 to 10" \$1.00; 6 plants \$5.00; 10 to 12" \$2.00; 6 plants \$10.00. 12 to 15" \$3.00.

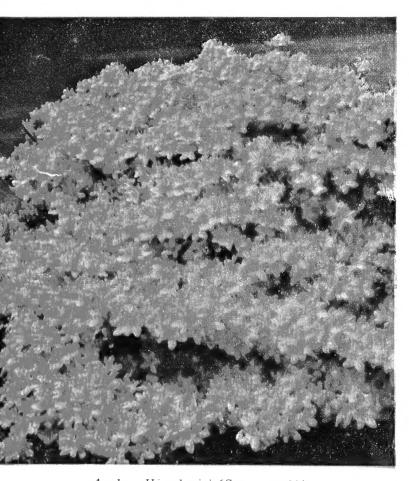
15 to 18" \$4.00.

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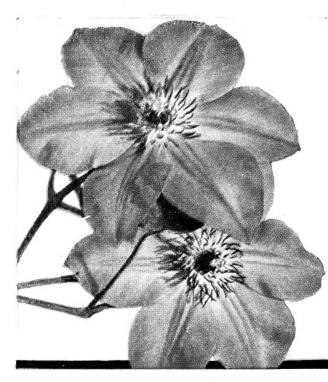
Azaleas are very popular wherever grown. Their masses of brilliant blooms enliven spring gardens with a display of beauty that is often breathtaking. The evergreen varieties have attractive foliage throughout the year. The deciduous sorts (altaclarensis and mollis) are especially valuable for planting in combination with other spring flowers or interplanting with evergreens of all kinds.



Azalea, Altaclarense (See page 22)



Azalea, Hinodegiri (See page 22)



Clematis, Lawsoniana (See page 21)

Clematis are attractive vines with beautiful large blooms in spring and summer. Use them on fences, trellises and walls.

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